

## 4. CONCLUSION

DOE has made a dramatic shift in its approach to cyber security. The plan now reflects the view of the Office of Cyber Security that effective cyber security is a balance of managed policies, procedures, technology training and personnel. This plan is also sensitive to the new E-Government initiatives of providing the citizens with easier access to government services while providing security for our electronic information.

Our strategic vision of being a center of excellence for cyber security is the theme that ties the four functional areas with the specific intermediate goals of strengthening the cyber security community, the cyber security policy implementation, and the internal cyber infrastructure.

We are fortunate to have several internal development efforts that are now ready to be tested in pilot programs with the objective for full rollout later in the year. We continue to support outreach and training programs to “get the message out” that security is the responsibility of everyone in the organization.

In summary, this plan is significantly more complex and far reaching than its predecessors. DOE understands that one office alone cannot dictate or mandate success. Only through a common vision supported by all DOE offices can we truly become a center of excellence.